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This chart identifies key officials known or believed to hold positions through the Military District level in the Chinese military establishment. The following abbreviations are used:

PLA People's Liberation Army
MR Military Region
MD Military District
• Politburo, Member
• Politburo, Alternate Member

The dotted line represents the authority of the Ministry of National Defense to pass State Council directives directly to various sections of the People's Liberation Army.

Central Military Commission of the National People's Congress

The Central Military Commission was established by Article 93 of the Chinese Constitution adopted in December 1982. The Constitution states that the new commission is a State organ, subordinate to the National People's Congress, and directs the armed forces of the country.

Chairman • Deng Xiaoping
Executive Vice Chairman • Yang Shangkun
Vice Chairman Nie Rongzhen
Xu Xiangqian
Members Hong Xuechi
• Yang Dezhi
• Yu Qiuli
Zhang Aiping

Military Commission of the Chinese Communist Party Central Committee

The Military Commission of the Chinese Communist Party Central Committee is the traditional leadership organization of the military establishment and is subordinate to the Party.

Chairman • Deng Xiaoping
Permanent Vice Chairman • Yang Shangkun
Vice Chairman Nie Rongzhen
Xu Xiangqian
Secretary General • Yang Shangkun
Deputy Secretaries General Hong Xuechi
• Yang Dezhi
• Yu Qiuli
Zhang Aiping
Advisers Li Da
Li Jukui

National Defense Science, Technology, and Industry Commission

The National Defense Scientific and Technological Commission merged with the National Defense Industry Office in August 1982. The primary two functions of the organization are the supervision of weapons research and development and the coordination of the military with the civilian sectors of the economy. The defense-oriented ministries of the State Council supervise the production of military hardware and supplies by diversified plants.

Chairman Ding Hengtao
Vice Chairman Qian Xuesen
Shen Rongjun
Wu Shaocui
Xie Guang
Ye Deming
Zhang Yanyu
Zhang Zhenhuan

Ministry of National Defense of the State Council

Minister Zhang Aiping
Vice Minister Xiao Ke
Foreign Affairs Bureau Director Song Wenzhong



People's Liberation Army

General Logistics Department
Director Hong Xuechi
Deputy Directors Li Yuan
Liu Mingpu
Xu Guangqi
Zhang Bin
Zhao Nangui
Zong Shunli

General Staff Department
Chief of Staff Yang Dezhi
Assistants to the Chief of Staff Lu Kai
Tan Jingqiao
Deputy Chiefs of Staff Han Huachi
He Quozong
Xu Huidi
Xu Xin

General Political Department
Director • Yu Qiuli
Deputy Directors Gan Weihai
Zhou Keyu
Zhou Wenyun
Zhu Yunqian

Service Arms

Air Force
Commander Wang Hai
Political Commissar Zhu Guang

Second Artillery Corps
Commander He Jinhong
Political Commissar Liu Lifeng

Navy
Commander Liu Huang
Political Commissar Li Yaowen

East Sea Fleet
Commander He Kujia
Political Commissar Huang Zhongxue

North Sea Fleet
Commander Ma Xinchun
Political Commissar Li Changru

South Sea Fleet
Commander Chen Xuejiang
Political Commissar Zhang Haiyun

Military Regions and Districts

Beijing MR
Commander • Qin Jiewei
Political Commissars Fu Chengli
Yang Babin

Chengdu MR
Commander Fu Qianyou
Political Commissar Wan Haffeng

Guangzhou MR
Commander You Taizhong
Political Commissar Zhang Zhonglian

Jinan MR
Commander Li Jialong
Political Commissar Chi Haofan

Lanzhou MR
Commander Zhao Xianshun
Political Commissar Li Xianhua

Nanjing MR
Commander Xiang Shouchi
Political Commissar Fu Kuifeng

Shenyang MR
Commander Liu Jingsong
Political Commissar Liu Zhenhua

Hebei MD
Commander Zhang Zhenchuan
1st Political Commissar Gao Yang

Guizhou MD
Commander Wang Zheng
1st Political Commissar Chi Bing

Guangdong MD
Commander Zhang Juhui
1st Political Commissar Ren Zhongyi

Henan MD
Commander Zhan Jingwu
1st Political Commissar Liu Jie

Gansu MD
Commander Zhou Yuechi
1st Political Commissar Li Ziqi

Anhui MD
Commander Ju Dehe
1st Political Commissar Huang Huang

Heilongjiang MD
Commander Li Dehe
1st Political Commissar Li Lian

Hei Mongol MD
Commander Cai Ying
1st Political Commissar Zhou Hui

Sichuan MD
Commander Zhang Wenging
1st Political Commissar Yang Rudai

Guangxi MD
Commander Li Xinliang
1st Political Commissar Gao Xiaoguang

Shandong MD
Commander Liu Yude
1st Political Commissar Su Yiran

Ningxia MD
Commander Liu Xueji
1st Political Commissar Li Xuechi

Fujian MD
Commander Lu Fuxiang
1st Political Commissar Xiang Nan

Jilin MD
Commander Chen Tongli
1st Political Commissar Qiang Xiaochu

Shanxi MD
Commander Zhang Guangyou
1st Political Commissar Li Ligong

Xizang MD
Commander Jiang Hongquan
1st Political Commissar Yin Fatang

Hainan MD
Commander Peng Weijiang
1st Political Commissar Yao Wenxu

Qinghai MD
Commander Xie Guanyou
1st Political Commissar Zhao Hailong

Shaanxi MD
Commander Ji Tingbi
1st Political Commissar

Jiangsu MD
Commander Zhen Shen
1st Political Commissar Han Peixin

Liaoning MD
Commander Ding Jianrui
1st Political Commissar Guo Feng

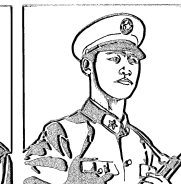
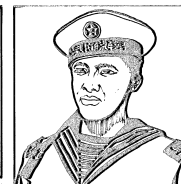
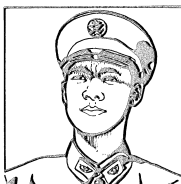
Yunnan MD
Commander Wang Zulin
1st Political Commissar An Pingsheng

Hubei MD
Commander Wang Shen
1st Political Commissar Guan Guangfu

Hunan MD
Commander Jiang Jinliu
1st Political Commissar Mao Zhiyong

Xinjiang MD
Commander Liu Haiqing
1st Political Commissar

Zhejiang MD
Commander Wang Fang
1st Political Commissar



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